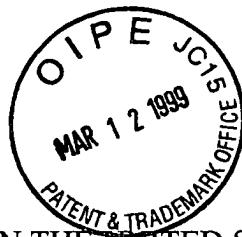


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For: DUAL FIELD METAL DETECTOR

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AMENDMENT

The above-identified application has been carefully reviewed in light of the office action mailed 1/5/99. Entry of the following amendment is respectfully requested.

IN THE CLAIMS

1. (Amended) A dual field metal detector, comprising:  
a transmit coil,

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